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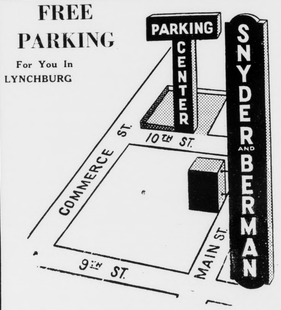

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Hixburg

Hixburg, July 18.- Mr. and Mrs. Heywood and Mrs. Kenneth Harris, and son, Bob, of Gloversville, N. Y., spent last Saturday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Harwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Carson and Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Carson will leave next Sunday for a week's vacation in New York City.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed McPhillips and Watkins, Mrs. Joel Coleman, Mr. and Mrs. Mc Coleman, and little Mac, Jr., visited Mrs. B. C. Wilkerson in Crewe last week-end.

Carrie Jane and Frank Inge, Oma Gowin and Eva Martin spent last week at Holliday Lake at the 4-H Club Camp. Mrs. Bernard Anderson, home demonstration agent. and Mr. Reginald Speir, assistant county agent, had charge of the groups.

Mrs. N. S. Topping has returned to her home after spending two months in the home of her sister, Mrs. Estelle Rosser.

Harwood Hix, of Greensboro, was a recent guest in the home of his father, Wilson Hix.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Shoaf, Raley, Joe and Doris, and Mrs. W. M. Erwin, all of Mount Ulla, N. C., are expected to visit in the home of Miss Margie Hix soon.

J. S. Hix, of Thomasville, N. C., will spend next Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday nights in this same home.

Plums bear well in this climate and the buds are seldom killed by frost. Especially hardy and delicious is the Abundance Plum.

Several have asked for the splendid blackberry jam recipe used by Mrs. Nelson Earle, of Waco, Texas. It is as follows: Carefully pick and wash the berries. Then weigh and mash them well. Boil slowly one hour. Add 3-4 of a pound sugar to each pound of berries. Boil exactly 20 minutes after adding the sugar.

Colored Dots

Impressive services were held at the Galilee Baptist Church last Sunday. The church voted to represent in the association. Deacons R. D. Craig and G. J. Stevens will be the official delegates. The association will convene with the Mount Shiloh Baptist Church next Thursday and Friday.

At 8 P. M. the Heavenly Gospel Singers rendered a musical program at Galilee Church. The Rev. C. A. Marshall officiated. The program was sponsored by the Galilee Sunday School.

The annual revival will begin at the Jordan Baptist Church this Sunday with all-day services. The Rev. R. Q. Lawing will be the guest speaker during the week.

Impressive services were held at the Chestnut Grove Baptist Church last Sunday morning. The pastor, Rev. Jordan, officiated.

The public is invited to attend a union fellowship service at Galilee Baptist Church the fifth Sunday at 11:30 A. M. The First Baptist Church, choir and pastor, will be guests of the Galilee Church.

A large crowd attended the third anniversary of the Mount Airy Gospel Six at the Mount Airy Baptist Church last Sunday. Services were held at 3 and at 8 P. M.

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Pamplin

Pamplin, July 18.- Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Brightwell are visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Ligon, of Buffalo, New York.

Week-end guests in the home of Mrs. L. M. Southall and Mrs. H. M. Robinson were Billy Neal and son, Brad, of Portsmouth, and Mrs. R. C. Hinman, of Suffolk.

Francis Miller, of Locust Hill, was a week-end guest in the home of Mrs. E. N. Harvey.

Mrs. L. M. Southall, Mrs. H. M. Robinson and Miss Ernestine Southall were dinner guests Thursday evening of Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Paulette, of Evergreen.

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Recent guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Ligon were Mr. and Mrs. John Jeter Ligon and Miss Rebecca Engleman, of Richmond.

Janice Ruth McClenny is visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. N. S. Topping, of Hixburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Pankey and son, of Roanoke, visited relatives here Sunday.

Miss Ernestine Southall spent the week-end with friends in Washington, D. C.

Mr. and Mrs. Spain Bragg and daughter, Sylvia, of Martinsville were Sunday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Slayton.

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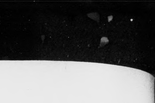

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Many-Gifted Man

Lesson for July 23, 1950

A MAN can do one thing well. He can usually find his place in world. Life being as short as it is and the possibility of misfits what it is, it may also be to say that a man who one thing well have done ing else bet- if he had had chance. In "Elegy," remember the Some mute Milton may rest." It is, in a country church-yard rest the bones of some hired who, if he had had another of start, might have been a famous scholar and poet like Milton. . . .

Dr. Foreman

Double-Threat Men

A WAY in football is called a "triple-threat man" is to be found on the gridiron, sometimes, in real life. Once in a great while there arises a man who not only "could have done" more than one thing well, but who because of special circumstances and opportunities actually does many things well. Such persons are rare, and above the average. Ordinary men take such a long time becoming experts in one line that they simply don't have time in their lives to be expert in other things too. But there are geniuses with many sides, and perhaps men gifted with many talents plus an extraordinary capacity for hard work.

In our times there is Albert Schweitzer, outstanding not only as a scholar but as a musician, doctor and missionary. The President of Israel at the present time is a noted chemist as well as a distinguished executive. Robert E. Lee was a brilliant soldier who also, as an educator, left his mark on his native state to this day. Leibnitz was a diplomat and philosopher; S. F. B. Morse not only invented the telegraph but was a painter of unusual ability; the man who thought up the idea of savings banks was a minister of the Gospel; King David was a poet, musician, general and statesman.

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Samuel the Versatile

SAMUEL, Judge of Israel, was another such man. "Jack of all trades but master of none" does not describe him, for he was master of whatever he did. He has gone down in history as a prophet—what in our times is called a preacher; but this was by no means all. He served his generation in other ways as well.

It was the chief executive of the people, king without the title. Though possessed of dictatorial powers, when during a time of unpopularity he resigned, and dared his critics to produce one single case of dishonesty or graft, none was brought against him.

He was a circuit judge, going from one city to another dispensing justice. He acted as a priest, indeed as the high priest of his people. We know of one occasion when he led his people in battle, and he was as successful as if war had always been his business. He was a kingmaker, for God entrusted to him the delicate mission of selecting Israel's king.

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Samuel and the Man

Many thoughts strike one who reads the story of Samuel. One is the fact that his great and many-sided powers were used for public service. Translated into modern terms, he could have made a fortune if he had gone back to private practice" and used his talents for himself. But at all times and in no way did Samuel live for Samuel. He worked for God and his country, and he died not but honored man.

One of the greatest needs of the nation today is men of Samuel's caliber, triple-threat men.

We have plenty of small-calibre specimens, and we have plenty of large-calibre men who are quite common. How few unselfish Targe-calibre men there are! The other night is that the times and the men go together. A man's greatness comes in large part from his opportunities.

John Milton helped make England great. England also helped make Milton. He helped make Israel, and at some other stage in history, might have lived and died a country priest.

Let no man think himself self-made, not even a great man. Without the God who endows him with gifts, without the times that set forth the gifts, even the most gifted shrink to little or nothing.

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Stonewall

Stonewall, July 18.- We are so glad to see some sunshine, after a rainy spell.

Miss Frances Jennings, of Charlottesville spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Parks Jennings.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Bondurant and family visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Younger, at Rustburg on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Jennings have as their guests her mother, Mrs. Thompson and her daughter, and family.

Mrs. Agna Lee is spending this week with her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. J. Rufus Burnette.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Chick, of Norfolk expect to arrive here next Sunday to be at his sister's, Mrs. Lillie Drinkard's birthday celebration and also to visit his other kin here and in Lynchburg.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Chick were called to Appomattox on Sunday on account of the illness of their little grandson, Lawrence Beard. We are glad to report that he is much better.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Caldwell, Sr. had as their dinner guests Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Bob Wheeler, of Richmond and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Wheeler, of Spout Springs.

The revival will start at Bethel Church on next Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Tilton Lee and children spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Wheeler, at Rustburg.

Mrs. Robert Thornhill is expected home next Sunday, after a three-week visit with her daughter and her family, of Royal Oak, Mich.

Mr. Lyle Caldwell is expected to come home next Sunday. He has been in a richmond Hospital for the past month. .

Miss Anne Carson is spending her vacation in Norfolk with her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Max Davis and her grandmother, Mrs. Lula T. Morgan.

Concord

Concord, Va.- The Concord Rurian Club met on Monday evening of this week. Ladies of Bethlehem Methodist Church served the supper.

Visitors last week of Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Martin were Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Martin, Jr., of Richmond; Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Hobbs, Jr. and daughter, Elizabeth, of Lynchburg, and Walter B. Powell, of Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Woody visited Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Roberts last week.

Recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Ca mCampbell were Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Campbell and son, of Rainelle, W. Va.. On their return they were accompanied by Mrs. Nannie Cash.

Miss Kitty Davis has been visiting her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Woodson, of Lynchburg.

Richard Ramsey, of Baltimore recently visited Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Massey.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Burleigh have had as their guests Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Simpson and sons, Jimmy and Tommy, of Richmond; Mrs. W. C. Campbell and Mrs. H. T. Brown, of Lynchburg.

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